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In Re Application of:

Date: July 1, 2005

Thomas E. DOWDY

Confirmation No.: 1243

Serial No.: 10/816,556

Group Art Unit: 2676

Filed: April 1, 2004

Examiner: Rahmjoo, Manucher

For: **TRANSPARENT COMPATIBILITY AND ADAPTATION TO DIFFERING
FORMAT IMPLEMENTATIONS IN A COMPUTER SYSTEM**

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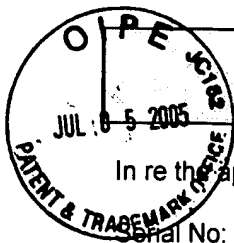
AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2005, please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.



TRANSMITTAL FORM

Attorney Docket No.
P1916C
526CIn re the application: **Thomas E. DOWDY**Confirmation No: **1243**Serial No: **10/816,556**Group Art Unit: **2676**Filed: **April 1, 2004**Examiner: **Rahmjoo, Manucher**For: **Transparent Compatibility and Adaptation to Differing Format Implementations in a Computer System**

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

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<input type="checkbox"/>	After Final	<input type="checkbox"/>	Part B-Issue Fee Transmittal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Notice of Appeal
<input type="checkbox"/>	Information disclosure statement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Letter to Draftsman	<input type="checkbox"/>	Appeal Brief
<input type="checkbox"/>	Form 1449	<input type="checkbox"/>	Drawings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/>	(X) Copies of References	<input type="checkbox"/>	Petition	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Postcard
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension of Time Request *	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee Address Indication Form	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
<input type="checkbox"/>	Express Abandonment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Terminal Disclaimer		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Copy of Priority Doc	<input type="checkbox"/>	Power of Attorney and Revocation of Prior Powers		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response to Incomplete Appln	<input type="checkbox"/>	Change of Correspondence Address		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response to Missing Parts	*Extension of Term: Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response for xxxxx month(s), from to .			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Executed Declaration by Inventor(s)				

CLAIMS

FOR	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest # of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	20	20	0	\$ 50.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	2	4	0	\$200.00	\$ 0.00
				Total Fees	\$ 0.00

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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

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Date	July 1, 2005

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